		AGENCY USE ONLY					
PERMIT NO.:		Date Rec'd.:	Amount Rec'd.:	Check No.:	Rec'd By:		
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Montana Department of Environmental Quality WATER PROTECTION BUREAU							
FORM	Notice of Intent (N	NOI) for Mon	tana Pollutio	n Discharge E	limination		
NOI	System Applica	tion for New	and Existing	Concentrated	Animal		
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The Application form is to be completed by the owner or operator of a Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO) or Aquatic Animal Production Facility. Please read the attached instructions before completing this form. You must print or type legibly; forms that are not legible or are not complete will be returned. You must maintain a copy of the completed application form for your records. Section A - Application Status (Check one):							
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New	2 * 2	tion submitted for	this site.	a plantity WI			
Resubmitted	Permit Number:		0 2	OCT 2 9 201	3		
✓ Renewal	Permit Number:	MTG 0 1 0 1	9 <u>Z</u> 	DEQ/WPB			
Modification	Permit Numbe	er: MTG	PE	RMITTING & COMPLIA	VCE DIV.		
	or Site Information (Se);				
	n Ranch Diamond R	ing Ranch		: .			
Site Location 203 Di	iamond Ring Rd			101	30/13_		
Nearest City or Tow			County Custe				
Latitude 46 36.355	N	Longi	tude 105 32.382	2 W			
	Date Facility began operation? 1970						
	located on Indian Lands	? Yes 🗸	No				
Section C - Applica	nt (Owner/Operator) I	nformation:	-	,			
Owner or Operator N	Name Patrick Goggins	Robert Cook, G	eneral Manger				
Mailing Address P.0	O. Box 30758						
City, State, and Zip	Code Billings, MT 5910	07					
Phone Number 406	-245-6447						
Is the person listed a	bove the owner? 🗸 Yes	No No					
Status of Applicant (Check one) Federal State 🗸 Private Public Other (specify)							

) - Existing or Pena	ing Permits, Co	ertification	ns, or Ap	provals: None		
MPD	ES MTGO10192	RA					
□ PSD	PSD (Air Emissions) Other						
	E – Standard Indus						
Provide at least one SIC code which best reflects the					B. Second		
Code		rimary	Cor	de	D. Jecono		
1	0211 Beef Cattle	Feealot Third	Co	de	D. Fourth		
Code		IMIU	3	<u> </u>			
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Section	F - Facility or Site C	Contact Person	/Position:				
Mamaan	nd Title or Position T	itle Greg Rob	erts, Dian	nond Rii	ng Manager		
I valite all	Address 203 Diamo	nd Ring Rd					
Mailing	Address	rv MT 50340					
City, Sta	ite, and Zip Code Ter	000 5407					
Phone N	lumber 406	-232-5107					
Section	G – Receiving Surfa	ace Waters(s):				٦	
	Outfall/Discharge Lo	cations: For eac	h outfall, Lis	st latitude	and longitude to the nearest second and		
		the	name of th	e receivin	g waters	_	
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	Outfall Number	Latitude	Longitu		Receiving Surface Waters	_	
	Outfall Number 001	46 36.448 N	105 32.54	45 W	Cottonwood Creek	_	
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Section H - Concentration Animal Feeding Operation Characteristics

	Animal type		Number in Open Confinement	Number Housed Under Roof
	Mature Dairy Cows			
	Dairy Heifers			
	Veal Calves			
Ø	Cattle (not dairy or veal)		6500	
	Swine (55 lbs or over)			
	Swine (55 lbs or under)			
	Horses			
	Sheep or Lambs			
	Turkeys			
	Chickens (broilers)			
	Chickens (layers)			
	Ducks			
	Other (Specify:)		
	Other (Specify:)		
	Other (Specify:)		
uch ma	er and/or Wastewater Produc anure, litter, and process wastev 375 tons	water is genera		_
waste	I, how many acres of land unde water generated from the facilit Acres	ty? (Note: Do		nces in available acreage

- ☑ Do the waste containment structures have 10 feet of separation between the pond bottom and any bedrock formations? $\sqrt{4}$ S

 Do the waste containment structures have 4 feet of separation from the pond bottom and any ground water?
- ☑ Were any of the waste containment structures built within 500 feet of any existing well?

	Type of Containment/Storage	Total Capacity	Units (gallons or tons)	Days of Storage	
				,	
		100280	750094 gallons	365	
	·		;		
				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	Data for CAFO				
All Concen implement the Departr developed i One) ☐ Does the Date N	Management Plan Intrated Animal Feeding Operations seeking a Nutrient Management (NMP). The NM ment (Form NMP). Check the box below in accordance with ARM 17.30.1334 and the facility have an NMP? NMP was developed: 2009 NMP was last modified: 2013 as not been prepared; provide detailed expending the second of the second	MP must be submitt that applies and pr d implemented upor	ed to the Department using ovide the required inform	ng the form provided be nation. The NMP must	у
Section 1 -	– Supplemental Information		•		emploje gazineme na na nazavija populja okon na mada doži na nazavija okon

Section J - CERTIFICATION

Permittee Information:

This Form NMP must be completed, signed, and certified as follows:

- For a corporation, by a principal officer of at least the level of vice president;
- For a partnership or sole proprietorship, by a general partner or the proprietor, respectively; or
- For a municipality, state, federal, or other public facility, by either a principal executive officer or ranking elected official.

All Permittees Must Complete the Following Certification:

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information; including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations. [75-5-633, MCA]

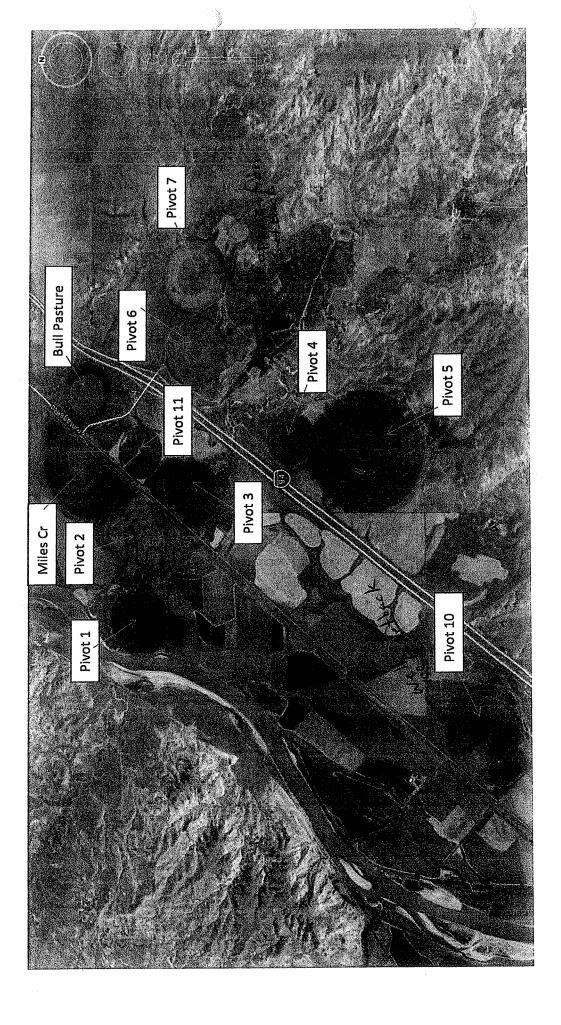
A. Name (Type or Print)	
Kubert Couk	
B. Title (Type or Print)	C. Phone No.
C. I W.	245-6447
	E. Date Signed
D. Signature	10-28-13

The Department will not process this form until all of the requested information is supplied, and the appropriate fees are paid. Return this form (NOI) and the applicable fee to:

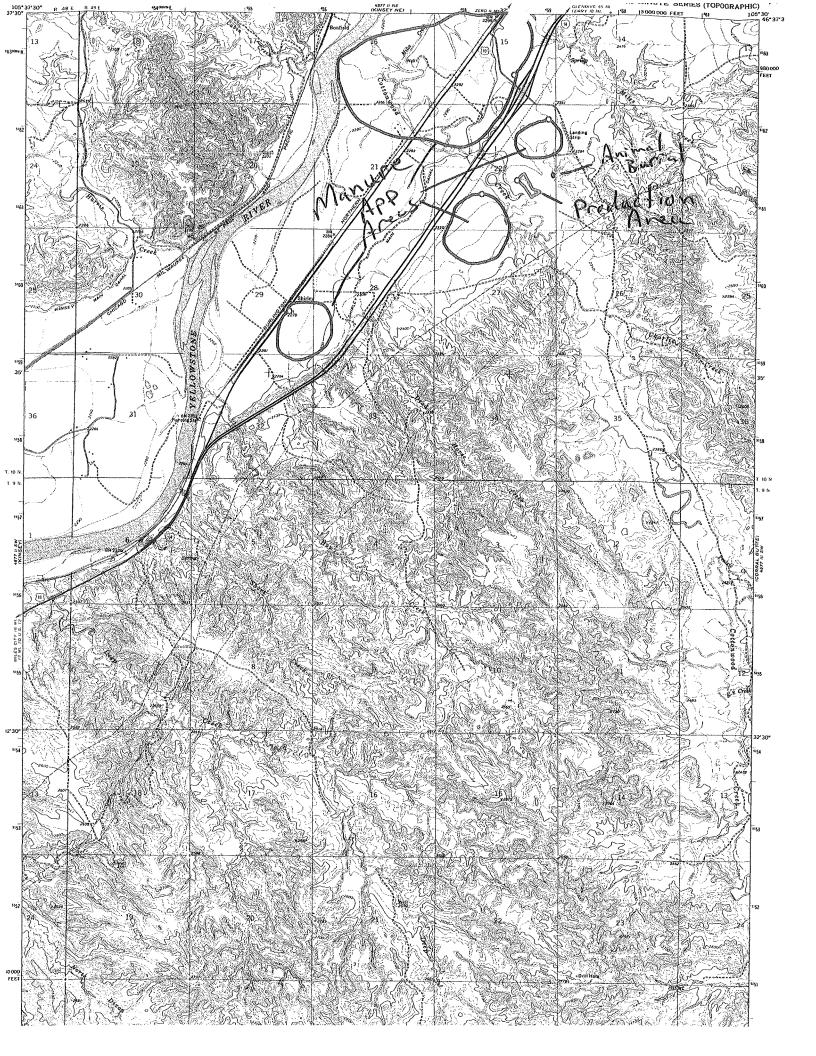
Department of Environmental Quality
Water Protection Bureau
PO Box 200901
Helena, MT 59620-0901
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PERMITTING & COMPLIANCE DIV.



Diamond Ring Manure Application Areas



AGENCY USE ONLY PERMIT NO.: Date Rec'd .: Amount Rec'd .: Check No .: Rec'd By: MT6010192 600 500 Montana Department of WATER PROTECTION BUREAU **FORM Nutrient Management Plan** NMP READ THIS BEFORE COMPLETING FORM: Before completing this form (Form NMP), Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO) operators need to read the General Permit, particularly Part IV.A. CAFO operators also need to read the "Instructions For filling out Form NMP," found at the back of this form. Form NMP is intended to help CAFO operators develop a site-specific Nutrient Management Plan, in compliance with Part IV.A of the General Permit and all applicable State rules and statutes. Your Nutrient Management Plan must be maintained at the site as required in Part III of the General Permit. Sections B and C on your Form NMP must state the information exactly the same way as it was stated on the most recently submitted version of your NOI-CAFO. Attach additional pages as necessary, indicating the corresponding section number on this NMP form. The 2013 General Permit, current fee schedule, and related forms are available from the Water Protection Bureau at (406) 444-3080 or http://www.deq.mt.gov/wqinfo/MPDES/CAFO.asp

Section A – NMP St	atus:	KECKIVED				
New	No prior NMP submitted for this site.					
Resubmitted Modification	Previous NMP found incomplete. Change or update to existing NMP.	OCT 2 9 2013 DEQWPB PERMITTING & COMPLIANCE DIV.				
□New 2013	New 2013 version of NMP.					
Section B – Facility						
Facility Name Vermilion Ranch, Diamond Ring Ranch						
Facility Location 203 Diamond Ring Rd						
Nearest City of Town	Terry	CountyCuster				
Section C – Applicant (Owner/Operator Information):						
Owner or Operator N	ame Patrick GogginsRobert Cook, G	General, Mgr				
Mailing Address P.C	Mailing Address P.O. Box 30758					
City, State, and Zip code Billings, MT 59107						
Facility Phone Number 406-232-5107						
Email						

Section D – NMP Minimum Elements	•	
1. Livestock Statistics		
Animal Type and number of animals	# of Days on Site (per year)	Annual Manure Production (tons, cu. yds. or gal
1. 6500 Steer Calves	31	448
2. 5500 calves	76	927
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
Method used for estimating annual m Midwest Plan Service, Livestock Wa	anure production:	
a. Describe Manure handling at the Manure is stored in pens until it is ha plowed into fields which will be planted by the planted by th	uled and applied to application are ed to corn. Application occurs in A	as. Manure is spread and pril and May.
c. Is this manure temporarily stored If so then how and where?	in any location other than the confin	iement area? ☐ Yes ☑ No
d. Is manure stored on impervious su If yes, describe type and character	Property Surgery	

3. Waste Control St	3. Waste Control Structures					
Waste Control Structures	Length (ft.)	Width (ft.)	Depth (ft.)	Volume (cubic ft.	Number of days of	
(name/type)				or gallons)	storage	
1.Storage Pond	230	109	4	100280 cuft	365	
2.						
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12.						

What is the 24 hr. 25 yr. storm event at this facility 3.0					
Production area: 8.45 acres. Type of lot (dirt or paved): dirt					
Area contributing drainage form outside CAFO that enters confinement areas and waste storage,					
conveyance, or treatment structures: 0 acres.					
What is the annual precipitation during the critical storage period 6.5					
How much freeboard do the pond(s) have 1 foot					
1. Disposal of Dead Animals.					
Describe how dead animals are disposed of at this facility: Dead animals are buried east of the facility. See attached map.					

5. Clean Water Diversion Practices

Describe how clean water is diverted from production area:

A diversion ditch runs the full length of the facility which prevents any clean water from entering the facility. The ditch diverts water around the facility and storage pond.

6. Prohibiting Animals and Wastes from Contact with State Waters

Describe how animals and wastes are prohibited from direct contact with state waters:

All animals are fenced out of state waters.

Describe how Chemicals and other contaminants are handled on-site:

All chemicals used at the facility are stored, used, and disposed of according to label directions. All feed equipment is maintained to prevent spills and leaks.

7. Best Management Practice (BMPS)

Describe in detail all temporary, permanent and structural BMPS which will be used to control runoff of pollutants from facility's production area. Indicate the location of these measures. If BMPS are not installed include a schedule for implementation of each of these measures. Examples of BMP measures could include but are not limited to: constructing ditches, terraces,, and waterways above and open lot to divert clean water run on; installing gutters, downspouts and buried conduits to divert roof drainage; providing more roofed area: decreasing open lot surface area; repairing of adjusting water systems to minimize water wastage; using practical amounts of water for cooling purposes; recycling water if practical and applicable.

Production Area BMP's

A diversion ditch on the east and south west sides of the facility prevents clean water from entering the facility. A berm along the west side of the facility directs all run off to the storage pond. All livestock waterers are maintained to prevent overflow.

Describe in detail all temporary, permanent and structural Best Management Practices (BMPs) which will be used to control runoff of pollutants from facility's land production area. Indicate the location of these practices. If not already in use, include a schedule for implementation of each of these measures. Attached details and specifications may be used to supplement this description. Examples of BMP measures could include but are not limited to: maintaining setbacks from surface waters for manure applications; managing irrigation practices to prevent ponding of wastewater on land application sites;

never spray irrigating waste on to trozen ground; consulting with the Department prior to applying any						
liquid waste to frozen or snow-covered ground; applying wastes at agronomic rates.						
Land Application BMP's All manure is incorporated immediately after application. Manure is applied in the spring after the ground has thawed. Manure is not applied within a 100 feet of open water or conveyances. The first irrigation occurs more than 30 days after application and incorporation. All manure is applied at agronomic rates based and a P Index is calculated on each field.						
Buffers	Yes No	Conservation Tillage	☐ Yes ✓ No			
Constructed Wetlands	Yes No	Grass Filter	☐ Yes ✓ No			
Infiltration Field	✓ Yes No	Residue Management	✓ Yes No			
Set backs	☐ Yes ☐ No	Terrace	Yes No			
Other examples			processed Education			
8. Implementation, Operation, Maintenance and Record Keeping – Guidance The permittee is required to develop guidance addressing implementation of NMP, proper operation and maintenance of the facility, and record keeping as described in Part 2 of the permit. Has a guidance document been developed for the facility? Yes No						
Certify the document address the following requirements: Implementation of the NMP:						
Facility operation and ma	intenance: Y	es No				
Record keeping and repor	rting Y	es No				
Sample collection and ana	alysis:	es No				
Manure transfer	Y ₀	es No				
Provide name, date and location of most recent documentation: Diamond Ring NMP and Guidance Document, September 2013, Manager's House.						
If your answer to any of	the above question is	no, provide explanation:				

Section	E -	Land	Application	

Will manure be land applied to land either owned, rented, or leased by the owner or operator of the facility? Yes If yes, then the information requested in Section E must be provided.

No If no, then provide an explanation of how animal waste at this facility are managed.

Photos and/or Maps

Attach an aerial photograph or map of the site where manure is to be applied. (Use multiple photos/maps if necessary to show required details.) The photo(s)/map(s) must be printed on no larger than an 11"X 17" piece of paper, and must clearly identify the following items:

- Individual field boundaries for all planned land application areas
- A name, number, letter or other means of identifying each individual land application field
- The location of any downgradient surface waters.
- The location of any downgradient open tile line intake structures
- The location of any downgradient sinkholes
- The location of any downgradient agricultural well heads
- The location of all conduits to surface waters
- The specific manure/waste handling or nutrient management restrictions associated with each land application field
- The soil type(s) present and their locations within the individual land application field(s)
- The location of buffers and setbacks around state surface waters, well heads, etc.

Land Application Equipment Calibration

Describe the type of equipment used to land apply wastes and the calibration procedures:

See attached calibration protocol.

Manure Sampling and Analysis Procedures

A representative manure sample will be analyzed a minimum of once annually for Total Nitrogen, and Total Phosphorus. Analysis results will be reported in lbs/ton or lbs/1,000 gal. Results of these analyses will be used in determining rates for manure, litter, and process wastewater.

Manure Sample collection will occur according to ARM 17.30.1334

Other (describe)

Soil Sampling and Analysis Procedures

Representative soil (composite) samples from the top 6 inches layer of soil for each field where manure will be applied must be analyzed for phosphorus content at least once every three years. Analyses will be conducted by a qualified laboratory, using the Olsen P test. Results will be reported in parts per million (ppm) and will be used in determining application rates for manure, litter, and process wastewater

Soil samples collection will occur according the methods in ARM 17.30.1334

Other (describe)

Phosphorus Risk Assessment

The permittee shall access the risk of phosphorus contamination of state waters. An assessment shall be conducted for each field, under the control of the operator, to which manure, litter or process wastewater will or

may be applied. If a new field is added in the future, then the permittee must submit a revised (modified) NMP. The permittee has the option of using Method A or Method B (below) to complete the assessment. Copies of all tables and calculations used to complete the assessments, as well as the results of the assessments, shall be submitted to the Department and copies shall be maintained on-site at the facility and available for Departmental review. The results of the assessments shall be used to determine the appropriate basis for land application of wastes from the facility.

Method Used

Indicate which method will be used to determine phosphorus application:

Method A - Representative Soil Sample

Method B - Phosphorus Index

Will use P Index

Method A – Representative Soil Sample

- a. Obtain one or more representative soil sample(s) from the field per 17.30.1334
- b. Have the sample analyzed for Phosphorus by a qualified lab. The "Olsen P test" must be used for the analysis, and the result must be reported in parts per million (ppm)
- c. Using the results of the Olsen P test, determine application basis according to the Table below.

Soil Test

Olsen P Soil Test Results (ppm)	Application Basis
<25.0	Nitrogen Needs of Crop
25.1 - 100.0	Phosphorus Needs of Crop
100.0 – 150.0	Phosphorus Needs up to Crop Removal Rate
>150.0	No Application allowed

Method B – Phosphorus Index

- a. Complete a phosphorus Index according to the crop grown on each field. Complete table in Appendix A to calculate phosphorus index. For information on filling out specific sections in Appendix A, please refer to the method as described in Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS), Agronomy Technical Note MT-77 (rev3), January 2006.
- b. Using the calculated Total Phosphorus Index Value, assign the overall site/field vulnerability to phosphorus loss according to the table below.

Total Phosphorus

Total Phosphorus Index Value	Site Vulnerability to Phosphorus Loss
<11	Low
11-21	Medium
22-43	High
>43	Very High

c. Using the calculated Site Vulnerability to Phosphorus Loss, determine the appropriate application basis according to the table below.

Site Vulnerability to Phosphorus Loss	Application Basis
Low	Nitrogen Needs
Medium	Nitrogen Needs
High	Phosphorus Need Up to Crop Removal
Very High	Phosphorus Crop Removal or No Application

The applicant has 2 ways in which to report how manure or process wastewater application rates can be reported to DEQ.

Linear Approach. Expresses rates of application as pounds of nitrogen and phosphorus. CAFOs selecting the linear approach to address rates of application must include in the NMP submitted to the permitting authority the following information for each crop, field, and year covered by the NMP, which will be used by the permitting authority to establish site-specific permit terms:

- The maximum application rate (pounds/acre/year of nitrogen and phosphorus) from manure, litter, and process wastewater.
- The outcome of the field-specific assessment of the potential for nitrogen and phosphorus transport from each field. [If a state does not have an N transport risk assessment, the NMP must document any basis for assuming that nitrogen will be fully used by crops.] The CAFO must specify any conservation practices used in calculating the risk rating.
- The crops to be planted or any other uses of a field such as pasture or fallow fields.
- The realistic annual yield goal for each crop or use identified for each field.
- The nitrogen and phosphorus recommendations from in ARM 17.30.1334 (technical standard) for each crop or use identified for each field.
- Credits for all residual nitrogen in each field that will be plant-available.
- Consideration of multi-year phosphorus application. For any field where nutrients are applied at a rate based
 on the crop phosphorus requirement, the NMP must account for single-year nutrient applications that supply
 more than the crop's annual phosphorus requirement.
- All other additions of plant available nitrogen and phosphorus (i.e., from sources other than manure, litter, or process wastewater or credits for residual nitrogen).
- The form and source of manure, litter, and process wastewater to be land-applied.
- The timing and method of land application. The NMP also must include storage capacities needed to ensure adequate storage that accommodates the timing indicated.
- The methodology that will be used to account for the amount of nitrogen and phosphorus in the manure, litter, and wastewater to be applied.
- Any other factors necessary to determine the maximum application rate identified in accordance with this Linear Approach.
- 2. Narrative Rate Approach. Expresses a narrative rate of application that results in the amount, in tons or gallons, of manure, litter, and process wastewater to be land applied. CAFOs selecting the narrative rate approach to address rates of application must include in the NMP submitted to the permitting authority the following information for each crop, field, and year covered by the NMP, which will be used by the permitting authority to establish site-specific permit terms:
- The maximum amounts of nitrogen and phosphorus that will be derived from all sources of nutrients (pounds/acre for each crop and field).
- The outcome of the field-specific assessment of the potential for nitrogen and phosphorus transport from each field. The CAFO must specify any conservation practices used in calculating the risk rating.
- The crops to be planted in each field or any other uses of a field such as pasture or fallow fields, including alternative crops if applicable. Any alternative crops included in the NMP must be listed by field, in addition to the crops identified in the planned crop rotation for that field.
- The realistic annual yield goal for each crop or use identified for each field for each year, including any alternative crops identified.
- The nitrogen and phosphorus recommendations from *[the permitting authority to specify acceptable sources]* for each crop or use identified for each field, including any alternative crops identified.
- The methodology (including formulas, sources of data, protocols for making determination, etc.) and actual data that will be used to account for: (1) the results of soil tests required by Parts II.A.4.b and III.A.3.g of this

permit, (2) credits for all nitrogen in the field that will be plant- available, (3) the amount of nitrogen and phosphorus in the manure, litter, and process wastewater to be applied, (4) consideration of multi-year phosphorus application (for any field where nutrients are applied at a rate based on the crop phosphorus requirement, the methodology must account for single-year nutrient applications that supply more than the crop's annual phosphorus requirement), (5) all other additions of plant available nitrogen and phosphorus to the field (i.e., from sources other than manure, litter, or process wastewater or credits for residual nitrogen), (6) timing and method of land application, and (7) volatilization of nitrogen and mineralization of organic nitrogen.

- Any other factors necessary to determine the amounts of nitrogen and phosphorus to be applied in accordance with the Narrative Rate Approach.
- NMPs using the Narrative Rate Approach must also include the following projections, which will not be used by the permitting authority in establishing site-specific permit terms:
- i. Planned crop rotations for each field for the period of permit coverage.
- ii. Projected amount of manure, litter, or process wastewater to be applied.
- iii. Projected credits for all nitrogen in the field that will be plant-available.
- iv. Consideration of multi-year phosphorus application.
- v. Accounting for other additions of plant-available nitrogen and phosphorus to the field.
- vi. The predicted form, source, and method of application of manure, litter, and process wastewater for each crop
 - If the receiving water is on the 303(d) list for nutrients then the narrative rate approach must be used.
 - a. For the Linear Approach the permittee will complete the Nutrient Budget Worksheet, below, for the next 5 years to which manure or process waste water is or may be applied. A copy of each Nutrient Budget Worksheet will be maintained on site, and a copy will be submitted to the Department.

Field: Miles Cr Crop: COPEN Year: 2014								
Field	None (0)	Low (1)	Medium (2)	High (4)	Very High	Risk Value	Weight	Weight
Category					(8)	(0,1,2,4,8)	Factor	Risk
Factor			<i>i i</i>		01.105		715	
Soil Erosion	NA	<5 tons/as/yr	5-10 ton/ac/yr	10-15	QA> 10 for erodible	- 1	X 1.5	1.5
				tons/ac/yr	soils			
Furrow	N/A	Tail water	QS> for erosion	QS> for	QA>6 for		X 1.5	
Irrigation	.,,,,	recovery, QS>6	1 -	erodible soils	very erodible	O		0
Erosion		very erodible			soils	Sept. To be a sept. A sept. Se		enduran engan magapida
		soils, or QS>10					}	
		other soils						
Sprinkler	All fields 0-	Medium spray	Medium spray	Medium	Low spray	-	X 1.5	2
Irrigation	3% slope, all	on silty soils 3-	on clay soils 3-	spray on clay	on clay soils	ユ		3
Erosion	sandy fields	15% slopes,	8% slopes, large	soils >8%	>8% slopes			
	or field	large spray on	spray on clay	slope, low	,			
	evaluation	silty soils 8-	soils >15%	spray on clay soil 3-8%				
	indicates little or no	spray on silt	slope, medium spray on silt soil					
	runoff large	soils 3-8%	>15% slope	spray on				
	spray on	large spray on	20,00.0	silty soils				
	silts 3-8%	clay soil 3-15%		>15% slopes				
		slope						
Runoff Class	Negligible	Very Low or	Medium	High	Very High	1	X 0.5	.5
		Low				\	V 0 5	1
Olson Soil		<20 ppm	20-40 ppm	40-80 ppm	>80 ppm	1	X 0.5	.5
Test P							 	-
Commercial		Placed with	Incorporated <3		ł .	2_	X 1.0	2.
	Applied	Planter or	months prior to planting or	before crop	applied to pasture or			
Application Method		injection deeper than 2	surface applied	or surface	>3 months			
Method		inches	during growing	applied <3	before crop	1	1	
			season	months	emerges			
				before crop				
				emerges				
Commercial	None	<30 lbs/ac	31-90 lbs/ac	91-150	>150 lbs/ac	2_	X 1.0	2_
i	Applied	P205	P205	lbs/ac P205	P205	_		
Application								
Rate							<u> </u>	
~ 1	None	Injected	Incorporated <3			2		2
	Applied	ł	months prior to	>3 months before crop	pasture or		X 1.0	1
Application Method		inches	planting or surface applied	or surface	>3 months		A 1.0	
Method			during growing	applied <3	before crop			
			season	months	emerges			ĺ
				before crop.				
Organic P	None	<30 lbs/ac	31-90 lbs/ac	91-150	>150 lbs/ac	اء	X 1.0	u
Source	Applied	P205	P205	lbs/ac P205	P205	+		1
Application						or all establishments		
Rate				<u> </u>				<u> </u>
Distance to	>1,000 feet	200-1,000	100-200 feet	<100 feet	0 feet or	2	X 1.0	2
Concentrate		feet, or			application	-		-
d Surface		functioning			are directly			
Water Flow		grass			into concentrate			
		waterways in concentrated	<u> </u>	\	d surface	1	1	
		surface water			water flow			
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Nutrient Budget Worksheet Field identification: Miles Co Year: 2014 Crop: Corn Expected Crop Yield:30 tons Phosphorus index results or Phosphorus application from soil test: 17.5 Method of Application:Rear Discharge When will application occur: April-May Nitrogen-based Nutrient Budget Phosphorus-Source of Application information based Application Crop Nutrient Needs. 294 1 MSU lbs/acre Credits from previous (-) 2 50 DEQ-9 legume crops, lbs/ac Residuals from past manure 38 (-) 3 DEQ-9 production lbs/acre Nutrients supplied by 4 **(-)** commercial fertilizer and 125 Biosolids, lbs/acre Nutrients supplied in 5 (-) 0 irrigation water, lbs/acre = Additional Nutrients 81 6 Needed, lbs/acre 10 Total Nitrogen and Phosphorus in manure, 7 Test lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal (from manure test) Nutrient Availability factor, 0.6 8 (x) for Phosphorus based DEQ-9 application use 1.0 = Available Nutrients in 6 9 Manure, lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal **Additional Nutrients** 81 10 needed, lbs/acre (calculated above) Available Nutrients in 6 11 (/) Manure, lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal (calculated above) = Manure Application 12 Rate, tons/acre or 1000 13.5 gal/acre

Comments:

Appendix A: Phosphorus Index Worksheet (Complete for each field and crop)

Field: Pivet 1 Crop: Corn Year: 2014								
Field	None (0)	Low (1)	Medium (2)	High (4)	Very High	Risk Value	Weight	Weight
Category				5 .	(8)	(0,1,2,4,8)	Factor	Risk
Factor								
Soil Erosion	NA	<5 tons/as/yr	5-10 ton/ac/yr	10-15	QA> 10 for	و	X 1.5	1
				tons/ac/yr	erodible	(1.5
					soils			
Furrow	N/A	Tail water	QS> for erosion	QS> for	QA>6 for	0	X 1.5	6
Irrigation		recovery, QS>6	resistant soil	erodible soils	very erodible			
Erosion		very erodible			soils			
		soils, or QS>10						
		other soils						
Sprinkler	All fields 0-	Medium spray	Medium spray	Medium	Low spray	F. W-20.	X 1.5	-
Irrigation	3% slope, all	on silty soils 3-	on clay soils 3-	spray on clay	on clay soils	2		3
Erosion	sandy fields	15% slopes,	8% slopes, large	soils >8%	>8% slopes		1	
	or field	large spray on	spray on clay	slope, low				
j	evaluation	silty soils 8-	soils >15%	spray on clay		}		
	indicates		slope, medium	soil 3-8%				
	little or no	spray on silt	spray on silt soil	slope, low				
	runoff large	soils 3-8%	>15% slope	spray on		1		
	spray on	large spray on		silty soils				
	silts 3-8%	clay soil 3-15%		>15% slopes				
		slope						
Runoff Class	Negligible	Very Low or	Medium	High	Very High		X 0.5	05
		Low						100
Olson Soil		<20 ppm	20-40 ppm	40-80 ppm	>80 ppm	6	X 0.5	2
Test P						/		~
Commercial	None	Placed with	Incorporated <3	Incorporated	Surface	2	X 1.0	2
P Fertilizer	Applied	Planter or	months prior to	>3 months	applied to	<u> </u>		Gioga.
Application		injection	planting or	before crop	pasture or			
Method		deeper than 2	surface applied	or surface	>3 months			
		inches	during growing	applied <3	before crop			
	:		season	months	emerges			
			_	before crop	}			1
				emerges				
Commercial	None	<30 lbs/ac	31-90 lbs/ac	91-150	>150 lbs/ac	-10003	X 1.0	2
P Fertilizer	Applied	P205	P205	lbs/ac P205	P205	-		-
Application								
Rate						1	ì	
Organic P	None	Injected	Incorporated <3	Incorporated	Surface			-
	Applied	deeper than 2	months prior to	>3 months	applied to	7		2_
Application	• •	inches	planting or	before crop	pasture or		X 1.0	
Viethod			surface applied	or surface	>3 months		l	
1			during growing	applied <3	before crop			
			season	months	emerges	I		1
				before crop.				
Organic P	None	<30 lbs/ac	31-90 lbs/ac	91-150	>150 lbs/ac	-1	X 1.0	U
	Applied	P205	P205	lbs/ac P205	P205	-		1 1
Application							1	
Rate								
Distance to	>1,000 feet	200-1,000	100-200 feet	<100 feet	0 feet or	-2	X 1.0	R/00
Concentrate	.,	feet, or			application	Corr		2
Surface		functioning		1	are directly		1	
Nater Flow		grass		1	into		1	
		waterways in		1	concentrate			
		concentrated		I	d surface			
İ			1	1	i	1	1	1
		surface water		ł	water flow	1	1	i
	4º	surface water			areas.			

Nutrient Budget Worksheet Year: 2014 Crop: Corn Field identification: Pive: Expected Crop Yield:30 tons Phosphorus index results or Phosphorus application from soil test: 17.5 Method of Application:Rear Discharge When will application occur: April-May Nutrient Budget Nitrogen-based Source of Phosphorus-Application based information Application Crop Nutrient Needs, 294 MSU 1 lbs/acre Credits from previous 2 (-)50 DEQ-9 legume crops, lbs/ac Residuals from past manure (-) 22 DEQ-9 3 production lbs/acre Nutrients supplied by 125 4 (-)commercial fertilizer and Biosolids, lbs/acre Nutrients supplied in 0 5 (-) irrigation water, lbs/acre = Additional Nutrients 6 97 Needed, lbs/acre 10 Total Nitrogen and Phosphorus in manure, Test 7 lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal (from manure test) Nutrient Availability factor, 0.6 DEQ-9 8 (x) for Phosphorus based application use 1.0 6 = Available Nutrients in 9 Manure, lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal **Additional Nutrients** 10 needed, lbs/acre (calculated 97 above) 6 Available Nutrients in **(/)** 11 Manure, lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal (calculated above) = Manure Application 16 12 Rate, tons/acre or 1000 gal/acre

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Field: \) LUOT 3	Crop	o: COSEN	Yea	ar: 201			
Field Category Factor	None (0)		Medium (2)	High (4)	Very High (8)	Risk Value (0,1,2,4,8)	Weight Factor	Weight Risk
Soil Erosion	NA	<5 tons/as/yr	5-10 ton/ac/yr	10-15 tons/ac/yr	QA> 10 for erodible soils	t	X 1.5	1.5
Furrow Irrigation Erosion	N/A	Tail water recovery, QS>6 very erodible soils, or QS>10 other soils		QS> for erodible soils	QA>6 for very erodible soils	O	X 1.5	0
Sprinkler Irrigation Erosion	All fields 0- 3% slope, all sandy fields or field evaluation indicates little or no runoff large spray on silts 3-8%	on silty soils 3- 15% slopes, large spray on silty soils 8-		Medium spray on clay soils >8% slope, low spray on clay soil 3-8% slope, low spray on silty soils >15% slopes	Low spray on clay soils >8% slopes	2	X 1.5	3
Runoff Class	Negligible	Very Low or Low	Medium	High	Very High	1	X 0.5	.5
Olson Soil Test P		<20 ppm	20-40 ppm	40-80 ppm	>80 ppm	1	X 0.5	.5
Commercial P Fertilizer Application Method	None Applied	Placed with Planter or injection deeper than 2 inches	incorporated <3 months prior to planting or surface applied during growing season	Incorporated >3 months before crop or surface applied <3 months before crop emerges	Surface applied to pasture or >3 months before crop emerges	2	X 1.0	2
Commercial P Fertilizer Application Rate	None Applied	<30 lbs/ac P205	31-90 lbs/ac P205	91-150 lbs/ac P205	>150 lbs/ac P205	2	X 1.0	2
Organic P Source Application Method	None Applied		Incorporated <3 months prior to planting or surface applied during growing season			2	X 1.0	2
Organic P Source Application Rate	None Applied	<30 lbs/ac P205	31-90 lbs/ac P205	91-150 lbs/ac P205	>150 lbs/ac P205	+	X 1.0	4
Distance to Concentrate d Surface Water Flow	>1,000 feet	200-1,000 feet, or functioning grass waterways in concentrated surface water	100-200 feet	<100 feet	O feet or application are directly into concentrate d surface water flow areas.	2	X 1.0	2

Nutrient Budget Worksheet Crop: Corn Year: 2014 Field identification: Divor3 Expected Crop Yield:30 tons Phosphorus index results or Phosphorus application from soil test: 17.5 Method of Application: Rear Discharge When will application occur: April-May Nitrogen-based Phosphorus-Nutrient Budget Source of based information Application Application Crop Nutrient Needs, 294 1 MSU lbs/acre Credits from previous 2 (-) 50 DEQ-9 legume crops, lbs/ac Residuals from past manure 42 (-) DEQ-9 3 production lbs/acre Nutrients supplied by 125 commercial fertilizer and 4 (-) Biosolids, lbs/acre Nutrients supplied in 5 (-) 0 irrigation water, lbs/acre = Additional Nutrients 77 6 Needed, lbs/acre Total Nitrogen and 10 Phosphorus in manure, 7 Test lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal (from manure test) 0.6 Nutrient Availability factor, DEQ-9 8 (x) for Phosphorus based application use 1.0 = Available Nutrients in 6 9 Manure, lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal **Additional Nutrients** 10 needed, lbs/acre (calculated 77 above) 6 Available Nutrients in 11 (/) Manure, lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal (calculated above) = Manure Application Rate, tons/acre or 1000 12 13 gal/acre

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Field: 👍	FIFOT 11	Crop	: COPEN	Yea	ar: 201			
Field	None (0)	Low (1)	Medium (2)	High (4)	Very High	Risk Value	Weight	Weight
Category Factor					(8)	(0,1,2,4,8)	Factor	Risk
Soil Erosion	NA	<5 tons/as/yr	5-10 ton/ac/yr	10-15 tons/ac/yr	QA> 10 for erodible soils	1	X 1.5	1.5
Furrow Irrigation Erosion	N/A	Tail water recovery, QS>6 very erodible soils, or QS>10 other soils	QS> for erosion resistant soil	QS> for erodible soils	QA>6 for very erodible soils	0	X 1.5	0
Sprinkler Irrigation Erosion	or field evaluation indicates little or no	15% slopes,	on clay soils 3- 8% slopes, large spray on clay soils >15%	soils >8% slope, low spray on clay soil 3-8%	Low spray on clay soils >8% slopes	2	X 1.5	3
Runoff Class	Negligible	Very Low or Low	Medium	High	Very High	i	X 0.5	. 5
Olson Soil Test P		<20 ppm	20-40 ppm	40-80 ppm	>80 ppm	1	X 0.5	.5
Commercial P Fertilizer Application Method	None Applied	Placed with Planter or injection deeper than 2 inches	Incorporated <3 months prior to planting or surface applied during growing season	Incorporated >3 months before crop or surface applied <3 months before crop emerges	Surface applied to pasture or >3 months before crop emerges	2	X 1.0	2_
Commercial P Fertilizer Application Rate	None Applied	<30 lbs/ac P205	31-90 lbs/ac P205	91-150 lbs/ac P205	>150 lbs/ac P205	2	X 1.0	2-
Organic P Source Application Method	None Applied	Injected deeper than 2 inches	Incorporated <3 months prior to planting or surface applied during growing season	1	Surface applied to pasture or >3 months before crop emerges	2	X 1.0	2
Organic P Source Application Rate	None Applied	<30 lbs/ac P205	31-90 lbs/ac P205	91-150 lbs/ac P205	>150 lbs/ac P205	4	X 1.0	4
Distance to Concentrate d Surface Water Flow	>1,000 feet	200-1,000 feet, or functioning grass waterways in concentrated surface water	100-200 feet	<100 feet	O feet or application are directly into concentrate d surface water flow areas.	2_	X 1.0	Z

Nutrient Budget Worksheet Year: 2014 Crop: Corn Field identification: Diver 11 Expected Crop Yield:30 tons Phosphorus index results or Phosphorus application from soil test: 17.5 Method of Application: Rear Discharge When will application occur: April-May Nitrogen-based Nutrient Budget Phosphorus-Source of information Application based Application Crop Nutrient Needs, 294 1 MSU lbs/acre Credits from previous 2 **(-)** 50 DEQ-9 legume crops, lbs/ac Residuals from past manure 39 (-) 3 DEQ-9 production lbs/acre Nutrients supplied by commercial fertilizer and 4 (-) 125 Biosolids, lbs/acre Nutrients supplied in 0 5 (-) irrigation water, lbs/acre = Additional Nutrients 80 6 Needed, lbs/acre 10 Total Nitrogen and Phosphorus in manure, 7 Test lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal (from manure test) 0.6 Nutrient Availability factor, 8 for Phosphorus based DEQ-9 (x) application use 1.0 = Available Nutrients in 6 9 Manure, lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal **Additional Nutrients** 80 10 needed, lbs/acre (calculated above) Available Nutrients in 6 (/) Manure, lbs/ton or lbs/1000 11 gal (calculated above) = Manure Application 13.3 12 Rate, tons/acre or 1000

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gal/acre

Field: DIVOT 10 Crop: CORN Year: 2014								
Field Category Factor	None (0)	Low (1)	Medium (2)	High (4)	Very High (8)	Risk Value (0,1,2,4,8)	Weight Factor	Weight Risk
Soil Erosion	NA	<5 tons/as/уг	5-10 ton/ac/уг	10-15 tons/ac/yr	QA> 10 for erodible soils	1	X 1.5	1.5
Furrow Irrigation Erosion	N/A	Tail water recovery, QS>6 very erodible soils, or QS>10 other soils	QS> for erosion resistant soil	QS> for erodible soils	QA>6 for very erodible soils	O	X 1.5	0
Sprinkler Irrigation Erosion	All fields 0- 3% slope, all sandy fields or field evaluation indicates little or no runoff large spray on silts 3-8%	on silty soils 3- 15% slopes, large spray on silty soils 8-		Medium spray on clay soils >8% slope, low spray on clay soil 3-8% slope, low spray on silty soils >15% slopes	Low spray on clay soils >8% slopes	2	X 1.5	3
Runoff Class	Negligible	Very Low or Low	Medium	High	Very High	1	X 0.5	.5
Olson Soil Test P		<20 ppm	20-40 ppm	40-80 ppm	>80 ppm	1	X 0.5	.5
Commercial P Fertilizer Application Method	None Applied	Placed with Planter or injection deeper than 2 inches	Incorporated <3 months prior to planting or surface applied during growing season	Incorporated >3 months before crop or surface applied <3 months before crop emerges	Surface applied to pasture or >3 months before crop emerges	2	X 1.0	2
Commercial P Fertilizer Application Rate	None Applied	<30 lbs/ac P205	31-90 lbs/ac P205	91-150 lbs/ac P205	>150 lbs/ac P205	2	X 1.0	2_
Organic P Source Application Method	None Applied	Injected deeper than 2 inches	Incorporated <3 months prior to planting or surface applied during growing season			2	X 1.0	2
	None Applied	<30 lbs/ac P205	31-90 lbs/ac P205	91-150 lbs/ac P205	>150 lbs/ac P205	-/	X 1.0	4
Distance to Concentrate d Surface Water Flow	>1,000 feet	200-1,000 feet, or functioning grass waterways in concentrated surface water	100-200 feet	<100 feet	O feet or application are directly into concentrate d surface water flow areas.	2	X 1.0	Z

Nut	rient	Budget Worksheet							
Fie	ld ide	entification: Prog 10 Year	2014 C	_{rop:} Corn	·				
Exp	Expected Crop Yield:30 tons								
Pho	Phosphorus index results or Phosphorus application from soil test:								
Me	Method of Application:Rear Discharge								
	When will application occur:April-May								
		Budget	Nitrogen-based Application	Phosphorus- based Application	Source of information				
1		Crop Nutrient Needs, lbs/acre	294		MSU				
2	(-)	Credits from previous legume crops, lbs/ac	50		DEQ-9				
3	(-)	Residuals from past manure production lbs/acre	29		DEQ-9				
4	(-)	Nutrients supplied by commercial fertilizer and Biosolids, lbs/acre	125						
5	(-)	Nutrients supplied in irrigation water, lbs/acre	0						
6		= Additional Nutrients Needed, lbs/acre	90						
7		Total Nitrogen and Phosphorus in manure, Ibs/ton or Ibs/1000 gal (from manure test)	10		Test				
8	(x)	Nutrient Availability factor, for Phosphorus based application use 1.0	0.6		DEQ-9				
9		= Available Nutrients in Manure, lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal	6						
10		Additional Nutrients needed, lbs/acre (calculated above)	90						
11	(/)	Available Nutrients in Manure, lbs/ton or lbs/1000 gal (calculated above)	6						
12		= Manure Application Rate, tons/acre or 1000 gal/acre	15						

Comments:
Bull Pasture Divot, Pivot 2, Pivot 4, Divot 5

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Pivot 6 and Pivot 7 corrently in Alfalfa - No Manure
in 2014

Section F - CERTIFICATION

Permittee Information: This form must be completed, signed, and certified as follows:

- For a corporation, by a principal officer of at least the level of vice president;
- For a partnership or sole proprietorship, by a general partner or the proprietor, respectively; or
- For a municipality, state, federal, or other public facility, by either a principal executive officer or ranking elected official.

All Permittees Must Complete the Following Certification:

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information; including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations. [75-5-633, MCA]

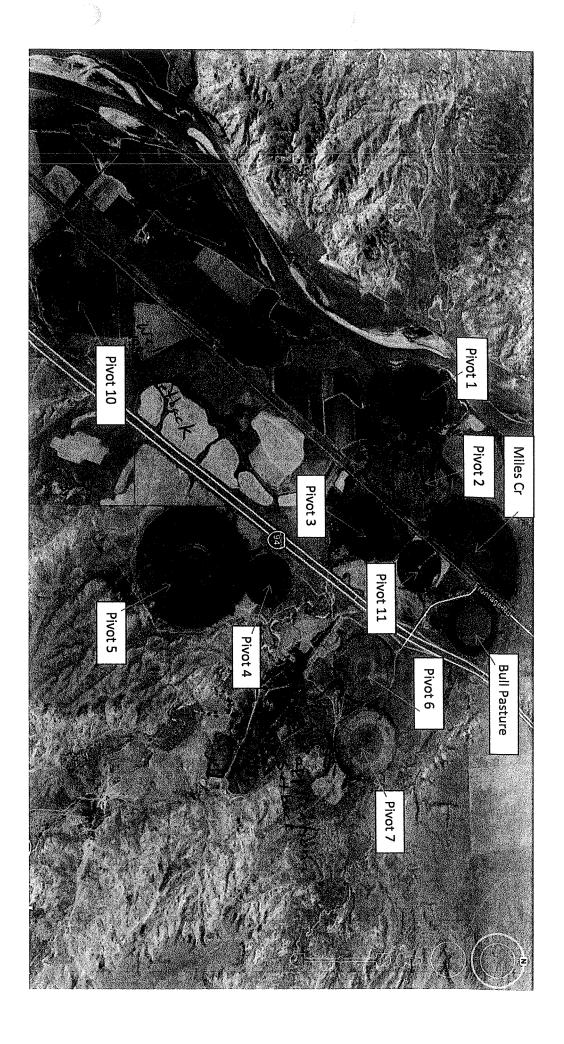
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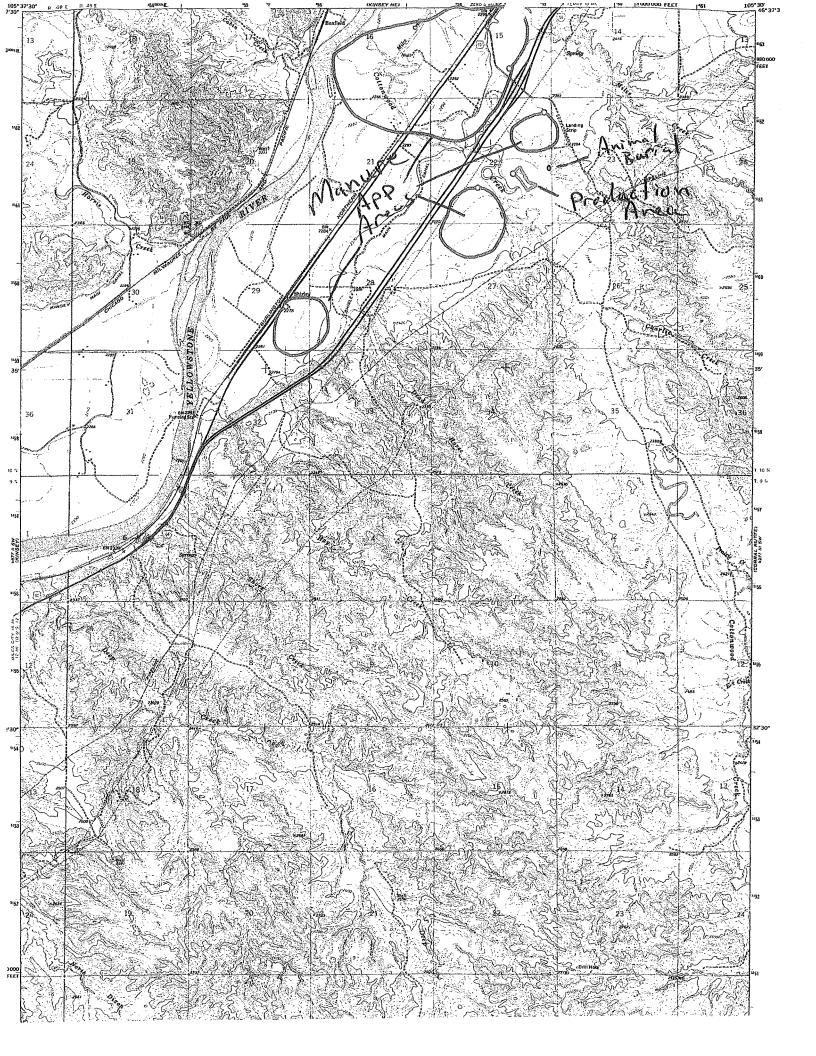
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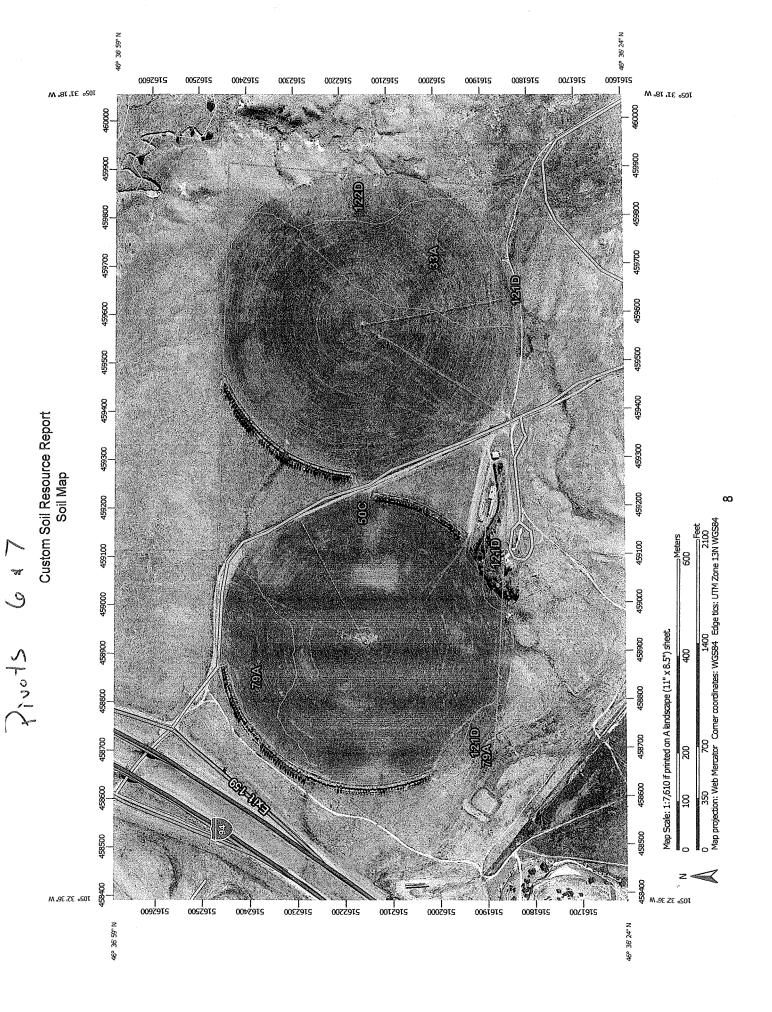
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Diamond Ring Manure Application Areas





Map Unit Legend

Custer County Area, Montana (MT017)						
Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI			
33A	Chanta loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	21.8	11.4%			
50C	Kremlin loam, 2 to 8 percent slopes	138.6	72.8%			
79A	Yamacall loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	13.9	7.3%			
121D	Kremlin-Tinsley-Degrand complex, 4 to 15 percent slopes	4.5	2.3%			
122D	Tinsley-Chanta complex, 4 to 15 percent slopes	11.6	6.1%			
Totals for Area of Interest		190.4	100.0%			

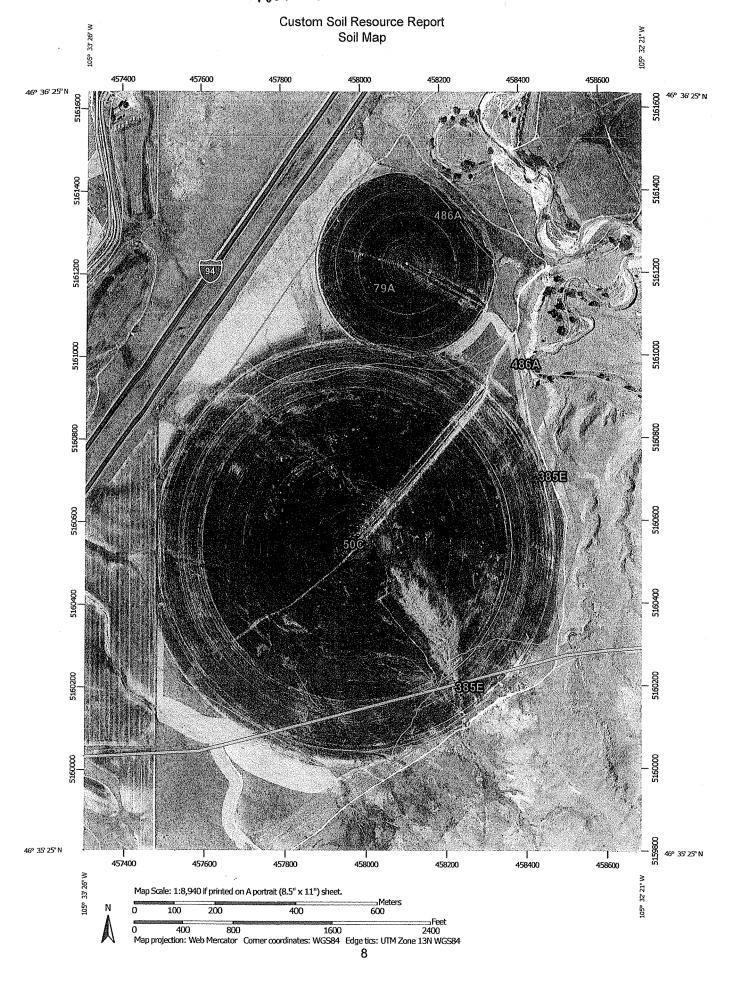
Map Unit Descriptions

The map units delineated on the detailed soil maps in a soil survey represent the soils or miscellaneous areas in the survey area. The map unit descriptions, along with the maps, can be used to determine the composition and properties of a unit.

A map unit delineation on a soil map represents an area dominated by one or more major kinds of soil or miscellaneous areas. A map unit is identified and named according to the taxonomic classification of the dominant soils. Within a taxonomic class there are precisely defined limits for the properties of the soils. On the landscape, however, the soils are natural phenomena, and they have the characteristic variability of all natural phenomena. Thus, the range of some observed properties may extend beyond the limits defined for a taxonomic class. Areas of soils of a single taxonomic class rarely, if ever, can be mapped without including areas of other taxonomic classes. Consequently, every map unit is made up of the soils or miscellaneous areas for which it is named and some minor components that belong to taxonomic classes other than those of the major soils.

Most minor soils have properties similar to those of the dominant soil or soils in the map unit, and thus they do not affect use and management. These are called noncontrasting, or similar, components. They may or may not be mentioned in a particular map unit description. Other minor components, however, have properties and behavioral characteristics divergent enough to affect use or to require different management. These are called contrasting, or dissimilar, components. They generally are in small areas and could not be mapped separately because of the scale used. Some small areas of strongly contrasting soils or miscellaneous areas are identified by a special symbol on the maps. If included in the database for a given area, the contrasting minor components are identified in the map unit descriptions along with some characteristics of each. A few areas of minor components may not have been observed, and consequently they are not mentioned in the descriptions, especially

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Map Unit Legend

Custer County Area, Montana (MT017)						
Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI			
50C	Kremlin loam, 2 to 8 percent slopes	198.0	74.3%			
79A	Yamacall loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	54.5	20.4%			
385E	Delpoint-Yamacall-Cabbart loams, 8 to 25 percent slopes	12.5	4.7%			
486A	Glendive-Havre complex, 0 to 2 percent slopes, nonflooded	1.5	0.6%			
Totals for Area of Interest		266.5	100.0%			

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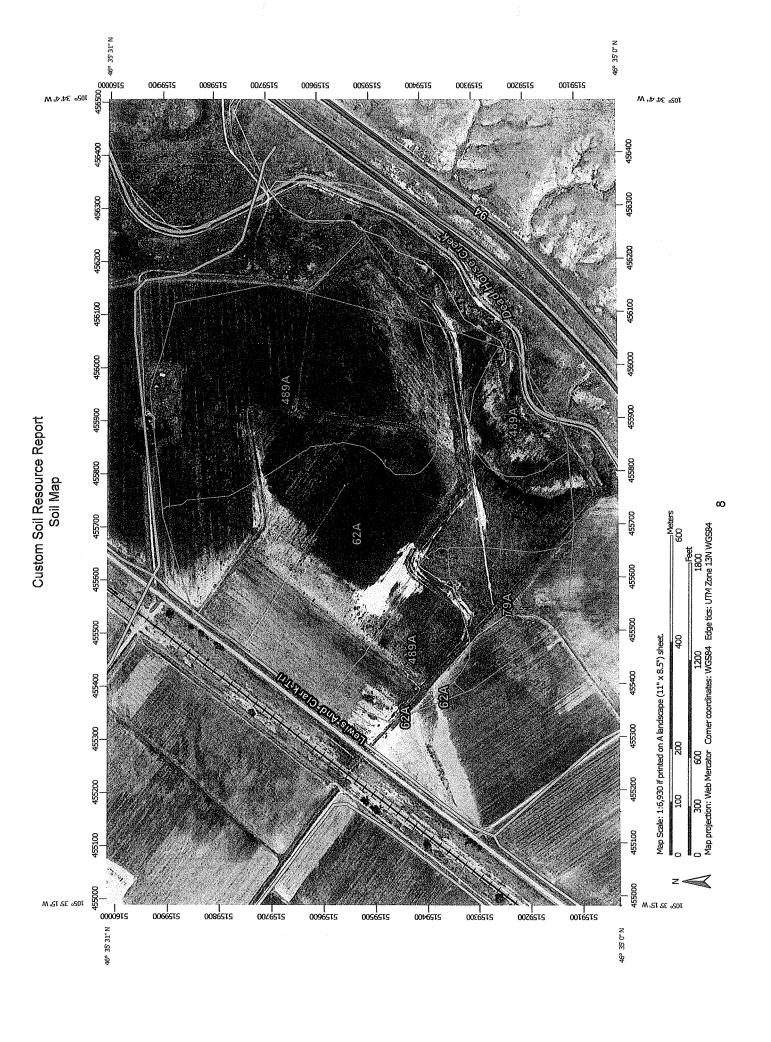
Map Unit Legend

	Custer County Area, Montana (MT017)							
Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI					
18E	Cabbart-Havre loams, 0 to 35 percent slopes	28.5	4.4%					
30C	Yamacall-Havre, occasionally flooded, loams, 0 to 8 percent slopes	28.8	4.5%					
39A	Ethridge silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	61.7	9.5%					
41C	Eapa loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes	16.7	2.6%					
50C	Kremlin loam, 2 to 8 percent slopes	7.3	1.1%					
53A	Kobase silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	98.3	15.2%					
53C	Kobase silty clay loam, 2 to 8 percent slopes	31.6	4.9%					
79A	Yamacall loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	50.9	7.9%					
93B	Brushton silt loam, 0 to 4 percent slopes	73.4	11.3%					
297D	Cambeth, noncalcareous- Megonot complex, 8 to 15 percent slopes	0.0	0.0%					
451A	Glendive fine sandy loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded	85.6	13.2%					
471A	Harlake silty clay, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded	2.9	0.5%					
481A	Havre loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, occasionally flooded	44.8	6.9%					
489A	Spinekop silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	116.9	18.1%					
W	Water	0.0	0.0%					
Totals for Area of Interest		647.5	100.0%					

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62A	Marvan silty clay, 0 to 2 percent slopes	55.9	43.5%
79A	Yamacall loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	11.0	8.5%
489A	Spinekop silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	61.6	47.9%
Totals for Area of Interest		128.4	100.0%

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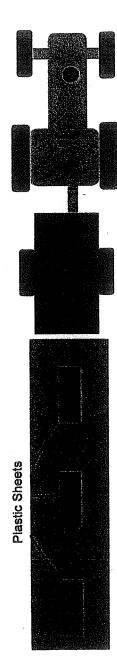
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Calibration of Rear Discharge "Box" Spreader if Capacity is Unknown.

- Cut three or more sheets of equally sized plastic. 22 square feet $(3' \times 7'4")$ or $4' \times 5'6"$ is preferred
- b. Weigh empty 5 gallon bucket plus one plastic sheet on a scale:
- Lay sheets in field with edges secured by stones or other heavy objects. ပ
- Drive tractor at normal speeds and discharge manure at typical rates over plastic sheets. , and spreader settings: engine RPM: Record tractor gear:



- Check the sheet. Did a reasonably representative application rate fall on the plastic sheet? ø
- Carefully fold individual sheets without losing manure and place each sheet in separate buckets. lbs. Bucket 3: Bucket 2: <u>ဖွဲ့</u> Weigh each bucket. Bucket 1:
- Subtract weight of empty bucket and plastic (step b) to determine net manure weight is each bucket. တ်
 - Bucket 3: Š Bucket 2: ် လို Net manure weight for Bucket 1:
- Average Net Manure Weight: h. Calculate average weight of buckets.
- Calculate application rate. Tons per Acre = (Net Manure Weight X 22) \div area of plastic sheet (ft²) If plastic sheet = 22 ft², then Tons per Acre = Net Manure Weight